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### PROGRAMME DRAWN UP.

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With the above annual gymnastic competition only one week away, many practice periods will be held this week. In this feature of the physical programme, the events are so varied that one does not need to be a specialist in any one class to win. The movements of the 3 pieces of apparatus are as follows:

Parallels, 30 marks.—10 for each movement, and 15 for each voluntary movement.

- 1.—Run jump to free cross rest middle of bars, intermediate swing, front dismount R or L.
- 2.—At end of bars  $\frac{1}{2}$  R to floor,  $\frac{1}{2}$  L to floor, to free cross rest at end of bars, outside cross seat on L bar, travel forward to same rest on R bar, same to L bar, rear dismount  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn L.
- 3.—Run jump to free cross rest centre of bars, R leg  $\frac{1}{2}$  L over L bar to front leaning rest on both bars, side vault R to mat.
- 4.—R hand on L bar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn to free cross rest backward scissors to cross riding seat, travel forward twice, intermediate swing, rear dismount right,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn left.
- 5.—Free cross rest end of bars, travel forward to middle of bars,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R to front rest on R bar facing out  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R to free cross rest, intermediate swing, high front R dismount  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn L.
- NOTE.—The complete  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn in free cross rest position may be taken on the swing.
- 6.—Voluntary movement.
- 7.—Voluntary movement.

Horse, 40 marks.—10 for each movement.

- 1.—Squat vault to a back rest, R  $\frac{1}{2}$  R, L  $\frac{1}{2}$  L, side vault R,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R, backward roll.
- 2.—Right hand on L pommel, R leg L circle,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn L, R leg  $\frac{1}{2}$  R, L  $\frac{1}{2}$  L, dismount  $\frac{1}{2}$  R turn.
- 3.—Front rest, R feint, rear vault L to mat,  $\frac{1}{2}$  L turn.
- 4.—Voluntary movement.

Low Horizontal Bar, 40 marks.—10 for each movement.

- 1.—Right knee mount to side riding rest, L  $\frac{1}{2}$  R to back rest, dismount  $\frac{1}{2}$  R turn.
  - 2.—Front rest, slow forward circle to mat.
  - 3.—Backward body circle to front rest, short underward dismount.
  - 4.—Voluntary movement.
- Special practices will be held all this week, commencing with the class to-night at 5.15. Following this class at 6 o'clock there will be a special work-out on the small floor for half an hour, when the apparatus movements, dancing steps and potato race will be tried out.
- It is not in the least necessary that one should have attended the gym classes to make good in this competition, and furthermore, results each year show that the winners have only gained their honours by having had the experience of one or more previous attempts.

DRAKE, John Masefield, the poet and war historian, lectured at Drake University on the 15th, and before the students of Iowa on the 19th. He lectures under the auspices of the Iowa Press and Authors' Club.

### WHAT'S ON.

#### TO-DAY.

Meeting of Menorah Society.  
7.00 p.m.—Basketball: Science vs. Theology.  
7.30 p.m.—Meeting of Cercle Francais.  
8.00 p.m.—Glee Club Practice at the Union.  
8.00 p.m.—"A" Certificate lecture.

#### COMING.

Mar. 15.—Patriotic Dance at High School.  
Mar. 15-16.—Patriotic Gym. Demonstration at R. V. C.  
Mar. 15.—Election of Rep. of Major clubs to Council.  
Mar. 16.—Basketball: Medicine vs. Arts.  
Mar. 18.—Dr. Sullivan at Philanthropic Society.  
Mar. 19.—Wicksteed Competition.  
Mar. 20.—Semi-annual meeting of Students' Council.  
Mar. 21.—Wicksteed Competition.

## ARTS '20 HELD DINNER AT EDINBURGH YESTERDAY

Large Number of the Members of Class Present — Eats Excellent.

Last night the class of Arts '20 held a dinner at the Edinburgh. Twenty-three members of the class turned out to what proved to be for that class, the affair of the year. The Dinner Committee had provided a tasty menu, and about 5 o'clock the class sat down to a tastefully decorated table in the room "up-stairs," which had been reserved for the occasion. All was silence for a time, until the appetites of all had been satisfied, and then the President, J. L. O'Brien, following the toast list, introduced the speakers.

C. H. Adair was called on to propose the toast to the King. In a few well chosen words and with a good story to illustrate his point, Mr. Adair, speaking of the difficulties of the position of the present King, pointed out the able manner in which he is performing his duties. He then said he had always held any King of England to be a mighty clever chap, since he had to know just what his duties were in regard to the adjourning of Parliament, and the dismissing of the House of Lords. These ideas, he said, he had gathered from his course in Summer Reading. After drinking the toast, the National Anthem was sung.

R. H. Ford replied to the toast in a fitting manner. J. N. Peterson, the treasurer, was then called on for the toast to the Alma Mater. He regretted his inability to propose the toast by means of a chemical formula. The toast was drunk, and H. C. Knowlton, the secretary, replied, dealing with the points brought out by the proposer of the toast.

"Jack" Galley proposed the toast to the "Old Boys," the boys at the front. He spoke of the patriotism of the fellows who had gone, and hoped for their speedy return. "Leva" Ereaux replied to this, sincerely seconding the sentiments of the proposer. Then, strange to say, a toast was proposed which carried the thoughts of those present to far greener fields, for Norman Vineberg was called on to toast "The Ladies." He declared his inability to propose a toast on such a pleasing subject, and then gave a fitting Spiel. "Alan" Laine answered this, saying that he agreed with all that had been said before.

Speeches from all present were then in order, Jack O'Brien preparing each effort with a character sketch of each speaker. Some humorous sallies were made both by the President, and by the speakers themselves. All pressed their inability, and then proved the contrary.

## The Success or Failure

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## BIBLE STUDY GROUPS HELD LAST MEETING

Successful Work of Session Terminated Last Night.

### SECRETARY THANKS LEADERS.

Patient and Untiring Efforts of Class Leader Worthy of Commendation.

The final meeting of the Bible Study Groups for this college year was held last night at Strathcona Hall. The usual supper was served, beginning at 6 o'clock, and at its conclusion, the chairman, "Art" Walsh, called on Donald McLeod for a few remarks. Mr. McLeod thereupon took the opportunity to thank the class leaders in the name of the assembled students, for their untiring and faithful work during the session just closing. He also thanked all who had helped in any way to make these classes the success they have been this year. He then introduced a welcome visitor in the person of Dr. J. H. Waters, of Rutlam, Central India, who is home on furlough. Dr. Waters spoke briefly, but gave a number of interesting facts about the present unrest, and change in India, due primarily to the impact of Western education, and especially of Christianity, upon the thought of the people there. An example of this is seen in the revolutionary attitude toward the old heathen custom, such as the caste system.

The classes were also favoured by the presence of Mr. Clarke, Canadian National Student Secretary, who explained the purpose and work of the two Canadian Student Conferences to be held this summer. The Eastern section will meet at Knowlton, Que., from June 20th to 27th, and the Western centre will be Lumsden Beach, near Regina, Sask., July 11th to 18th. At the conclusion of these brief addresses the chairman expressed his thanks to all who had in any way helped in the Bible Study Classes this year, and prophesied good things for next session.

As the students separated to their groups they gave three rousing cheers for "Art" Walsh, followed by "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

### GLEE CLUB.

There will be a practice of the Glee Club in the hall of the Union at 8 o'clock to-night, in preparation for the Arts Smoker to-morrow night. The executive committee appeal to the members to make this one appearance of the Club a complete success by attending to-night's practice en masse, and taking part in the final rehearsal.

Mr. N. E. Peterson expressed the desire that the faculties of the University might be brought into closer union through just such events as this. All were in favor of this idea, and expressed their intention of working toward that end in the support of the Glee Club and similar efforts. A vote of thanks was moved and carried by the committee who arranged the menu, and "Jack" Galley, the chairman, said he was glad the committee's efforts were appreciated. The chairs were then pushed back, and college and popular songs were sung, Bill Duncan accompanying on the piano. Various attempts were made at dancing, and then after singing "Hail Alma Mater" and giving the Class and McGill Yells, the gathering broke up, some going home and the rest heading East.

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MONTREAL, TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1918.

## THE QUESTION OF RAISING A MCGILL DRAFT.

There appeared in the editorial columns of the Daily recently an article suggesting the raising of another reinforcing draft to the McGill Siege Battery. The purpose of the article in question was more to test the opinion of the student body on the matter than to accomplish any direct action. Therefore it is with a certain amount of satisfaction that we find that the suggestion has been received with at least some degree of enthusiasm in several quarters.

That the raising of such a draft would be welcomed by a large number of students as affording an excellent opportunity of seeing service overseas we have no doubt. Though there have been comparatively few men in attendance at McGill during the past year who are liable for military service under the Military Service Act, still there are not a few who before another college session, fully intend to don the khaki. A considerable number will attain to military age during the summer, and would therefore, without doubt, welcome the raising of another draft. Rumours have been current concerning the probability of securing authorization for the recruiting of such a reinforcing unit, and therefore the Daily has endeavored to secure something in the shape of official information on the subject. To this end, Captain Simpson, Adjutant of the C.O.T.C., who has interested himself in the matter, was interviewed last night.

With the desire of publishing something which may give some real idea as to the possibility and probability, as well as the conditions attendant to the raising of a draft in the spring, we quote the statement of Captain Simpson, who is in a position to handle the matter for the students, as far at least, as the preliminary arrangements are concerned:—

"The question of the authorization of a Siege Battery Draft to be raised at McGill this spring is one which must of course be decided finally by the authorities at Ottawa; and the decision would, I think, be based very largely, if not altogether, on the particular need for reinforcements in that arm of the service at the present time.

Before the University could make an offer of a draft, however, there would have to be an assurance that a sufficient number of men—say a minimum of fifty or seventy-five—eligible for such a draft are available. I have been informed that a large number of students have expressed their desire to enlist in a McGill draft if one could be raised this spring; but something more than mere opinion is required.

As a means of finding out definitely whether a sufficient number of McGill men are available, I shall be glad to receive the names of those who are willing to enlist in a siege artillery draft, should one be authorized at McGill at the close of the present session. These names should be handed to me or left at my office during the present week. In every case the man's name, faculty, class and age should be given. While such a registration would not be binding in any way, it is obvious that the purpose of the canvass would be entirely defeated should men who already know, whether on medical or other grounds, they would with certainty be rejected, hand their names in to swell the list.

One other condition would, to my mind, be essential to success. The officer in command of such a draft should be a McGill man who has seen artillery service in France, but such an officer could, I believe, be found if the men are available."

## THE ART ROSS TROPHY.

As a result of Hochelaga's win from the Munition Club team of Ottawa on Saturday, the former will be called upon to defend the Art Ross Trophy next Saturday night at the Jubilee Rink against McGill, the champions of the City League. The University team are capable of carrying off the honors in this clash, but it will require their best form and every available means of support. Their opponents of Saturday evening next have exhibited an excellent brand of hockey, and in defeating the fast Ottawa munition manufacturers, displayed their ability. On the other hand, if McGill takes the ice in the form which characterized their appearance against Loyola last Thursday night, our chances for the trophy are indeed good.

It is absolutely essential, however, that on this occasion the Red and White aggregation should have a large backing. Undoubtedly the excellent support tendered the team on the occasion of the City League play-off was in large part responsible for McGill's success. The need for rooters on Saturday night will be greatly increased, and this will be an opportunity for men to witness what will undoubtedly be an interesting game, and at the same time tender the support which it should be the pleasure of every undergraduate to extend to representatives of his Alma Mater.

## R. V. C. NOTES.

Will all the girls who have merited either big or little R. V. C.'s this year (for rules see Athletic Board), kindly hand in their names and lists of qualifications to the President or the Secretary of the Athletic Association immediately. All applications must be in before Wednesday noon, in order that the R. V. C.'s may be distributed before the Demonstration.

All girls who are taking part in the Demonstration will please assemble upstairs in the Hall at one o'clock sharp on Wednesday, March 13th, for a very few minutes. It is essential that everyone be present.

## SOCIETE FRANCAISE.

The active members of the Societe Francaise are invited to meet with the Cercle Francaise in the Union this evening at 7.30. The Societe Francaise will assemble in the R.V.C. at 7.15.

## DEMONSTRATION PRACTICES.

Tuesday.

2.—"B" Gymnastics.  
3.—Tarantella—for those needing extra help.  
4.—Indian Dance.  
4.15.—Tarantella (practice)—for those needing extra help.  
4.15.—Waltz (Spanish practice).  
5.00.—Greek Dance.  
5.15.—Japanese Dance.

Wednesday.

1.00.—Practice for finish of programme.  
2.00.—Hornpipe. (Girls from Wed. 12, and Friday, 3. No class at 12 on Wednesday.  
2.15.—Barn Dance. (Friday, 2, and Monday, 3, classes. Gym. suits not necessary.)  
2.30.—Ace of Diamonds. La Tempete. (Wed., 12, and Fri., 3, classes.)  
3.00.—Wanda A.  
3.15.—Clubs A.  
3.30.—Balancing Beams.

Thursday.

1.50.—Tarantella A. Waltz.  
6.00.—Squad Drill.

## NOTICES

### SCIENCE SENIORS.

All graduates' photos must be taken by Saturday, March 16th. The response to previous notices has been practically nil, so it is up to you men to get them done this week. Arrange with Notman, Up. 1229, immediately, and help complete the picture business.

### HEADGEAR MISSING.

Will the gentleman who took by mistake a highly prized pet green plush hat, belonging to a prominent freshman in Arts Faculty be so kind as to return same to Janitor of the Arts Building, and receive reward.

### PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

The next meeting of the Society will be held in Strathcona Hall on Monday, 18th March, at 8.15 p.m. Dr. C. T. Sullivan will read a paper on the "Principle of Relativity." This subject is one over which a great amount of objection has been raised in recent years, due to its apparently revolutionary consequences affecting the nature of space and time, and the mathematico-physical interpretation of the external world. An interesting discussion is confidently expected. All interested are invited to attend.

### NORMAL STANDING DECREASING.

Reports from many of the leading universities and colleges indicate that the percentage of students who cannot maintain normal standards of scholarship is increasing. Students are "flunking" in the examinations to a degree that is disturbing. Explanations assign the record, not to any falling off in the quality of instruction, although it is true that many faculties are lacking some of their ablest professors who are now enlisted in government service, and not to any diminution in the quality of the student body. The cause in many cases is attributed to inability of the student to concentrate on study at a time when his or her thought is on a new world in the making, and on a conflict between radically different standards of civilization and social ideals.

Nevertheless, the United States Commissioner of Education, echoing the President and the National Council of Defense, is reiterating the conviction that enrollment and standard of education must be kept normal, and that "no student should leave college but to fill a position that cannot be taken by another, or unless definitely called by his country." He says that the time may come when "one trained man at home will be worth ten thousand at the front."

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## PLATFORMS FOR AP- PROACHING ELEC- TIONS.

In order that platforms for the various offices to be filled at the coming elections may be insured publication, they must be in the Daily Office by 6.00 p.m. Wednesday. This requirement is absolutely necessary, as the last regular issue of the Daily will appear Thursday morning.

## SERGEANT CHAZAUD TO ADDRESS THE CERCLE

Heroic Soldier and Winner of  
Croix de Guerre Home on  
Leave.

Sergeant fourrier Camille Chazeaud, former member and secretary of the Cercle Francaise, who has just arrived on a thirty days' leave, has promised the executive of that Society to be present at their annual joint meeting with the Societe Francaise, which will be held to-night, at the Union.

Sergeant Chazeaud joined the French army more than two years ago. He was then a student at the Presbyterian College.

After reaching France he soon distinguished himself on active service at the front. He was twice promoted, first as corporal fourrier, and then as sergeant fourrier, the rank which he still holds at present. He was also awarded the French Military Cross for conspicuous bravery in the field. This was on the 16th of April, 1917, after an attack along the now famous Chemin des Dames. Chazeaud also saw service on the Verdun and Lorraine fronts.

A hearty welcome to this brave soldier of heroic France!

## ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSORS MEET.

BOSTON, Mass. — The annual report of the American Association of University Professors, just issued, will be another landmark in the history of democratizing university and college administration in a land where during the last half of the Nineteenth Century it had taken on autocratic and oligarchical forms. The document covers the events of two years, and therefore is the supplement of the famous report of 1915, in which some fundamentals of the problem of academic freedom were discussed in a way that has considerably influenced the attitude of governing boards and official heads, and compelled from them some striking utterances dealing with the same problem, as in recent deliverances by President Butler of Columbia, President Lowell of Harvard, and President Meiklejohn of Amherst.

The report just issued first sets forth the method and the extent of the investigations which the association's responsible officials have carried out during the 24 months, a period unusually full of cases of seeming or real interference with freedom of speech, owing to the suspicions and tensions of the war.

Over 80 instances of alleged infraction of proper standards have been brought to the attention of the committee. The issues involved have been probed in a selected number of cases, for reasons of choice stated in the report. The fundamental idea seems to have been, not the individual injustice involved or the hope of rectifying it, but alteration of a bad institutional condition "marked by the rule of intolerance, or dishonesty, or ignorance, and creating of discomfort and unrest." Such efforts as have been made have been both corrective and constructive in their purpose.

The report emphasizes the fact that whereas in only one-third of the cases brought to the attention of the association has the issue of academic freedom been involved, in all of them, in one form or another, a problem of academic tenure has been disclosed. It is this issue that is the larger of the two; and when it is rightly settled, then freedom as a rule is adequately guarded. To secure fit academic tenure, there must first be rightly defined a correct way of procedure in testing the issues involved when a difference of opinion arises, for "the history of the safeguarding of individual liberties of whatever kind has been the history of the development of procedure."

What some of the ways and means of right procedure are, the association defined in its 1915 report. In this year's report a defense is put up for the teacher as such, as a social factor who needs a security of tenure in his work that is not asked for by men of other callings, or conceded to them; and it proceeds to point out the tendencies in denominational controlled colleges and politically influenced state universities that militate against the security of position that a scholar and inspirer of youth should have. Distinct issue with and open dissent from the position of President Butler of Columbia University, in his latest official utterance, are taken by the committee. Fourteen professors of eminence in the best universities of the country sign the report.

A pendant, special report on "Academic Freedom in War Time," prepared by a special committee of three of which Professor Lovejoy of Johns Hopkins University, is chairman, is due to the new problems facing institutions of learning and teachers that actual participation of the United States in the war has created. Within the past four months at least six cases of dismissal for "disloyalty" have been registered. They have disclosed a variety of offenses and differing of standards of judgment on the part of administrators. The problem that educational administrators, teachers and the public face is this, according to Professor Lovejoy and his associates, "of drawing the line of restriction so that no more injury shall be done to the permanent social interests that are affected than is plainly unavoidable in order to meet the critical situation created by the war."

## A YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

Annual meeting of McGill Y. M. C. A.

Medicine '20 defeated Science '19 by 5-3, at hockey.

Capt. Sir Stophord Bruntun announced that a new McGill Battery had been refused, but that application for a Draft had been accepted, training to start at end of March.

The 28th annual meeting of Ottawa Valley Graduates' Society of McGill University held at Ottawa.

Year '17 met in Strathcona Hall to make arrangements for Convocation.

## EXCEPTIONAL SHOW AT LOEW'S.

This week's show at Loew's is well above the average vaudeville performance, and is well worth seeing. Not only does it combine a series of vaudeville acts of a high order, but the photo play alone is a masterpiece of the silent drama.

The three Rozelas, in their musical stunts, are quite inimitable, and Frank Farron made things lively with his humorous songs and stories. "Oh, You Devil," a musical comedy in three acts, combines originality, good music and pretty girls.

The photo-play, entitled "Blue Jeans," with Viola Dana in the lead, is a wonderful film version of the old play. Pathos and thrills are charmingly combined.

Taken all in all, the show will bring a smile to the face of the driest pessimist, and should be seen by all.

## THE SPIRES OF OXFORD.

I saw the spires of Oxford  
As I was passing by,  
The gray spires of Oxford,  
Against a pearl gray sky.  
My heart was with the Oxford men  
Who went abroad to die.

The years go fast in Oxford,  
The golden years and gay,  
The hoary colleges look down  
On careless boys at play.  
But when the bugles sounded war  
They put their games away.

They left the peaceful river,  
The cricket field, the quad,  
The shaven lawns of Oxford,  
To seek a bloody sod—  
They gave their merry youth away  
For country and for God.

God rest you, happy gentlemen,  
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Who took the khaki and the gun  
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God bring you to a fairer place  
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—W. M. LETTS, in the Worcester Evening Gazette.

tutions of learning and teachers that actual participation of the United States in the war has created. Within the past four months at least six cases of dismissal for "disloyalty" have been registered. They have disclosed a variety of offenses and differing of standards of judgment on the part of administrators. The problem that educational administrators, teachers and the public face is this, according to Professor Lovejoy and his associates, "of drawing the line of restriction so that no more injury shall be done to the permanent social interests that are affected than is plainly unavoidable in order to meet the critical situation created by the war."

Coming to more practical phases of the situation, the committee inclines to favor the presumption that enforcement of any inhibitions on free speech or free writing by teachers should come from authorities of the State, and not from officers of institutions of learning. If responsible public officials find no ground for action, then academic authorities need not.

It is admitted, however, that academic officials can legitimately deprive a professor of office who is convicted of disobedience to any statute or executive order. Secondly, it is asserted that a member of college or university faculties may be required to refrain from propaganda designed, or unmistakably tending, to cause others to resist or evade the compulsory service law or the regulations of the military authorities; and teachers refusing to conform, should be dismissed. Thirdly, the committee has no doubt but that professors who impede the Government's activities in the prosecution of the war, by dissuading other persons from rendering the nation aid, deserve dismissal providing such deliberate purpose has been shown by conclusive evidence.

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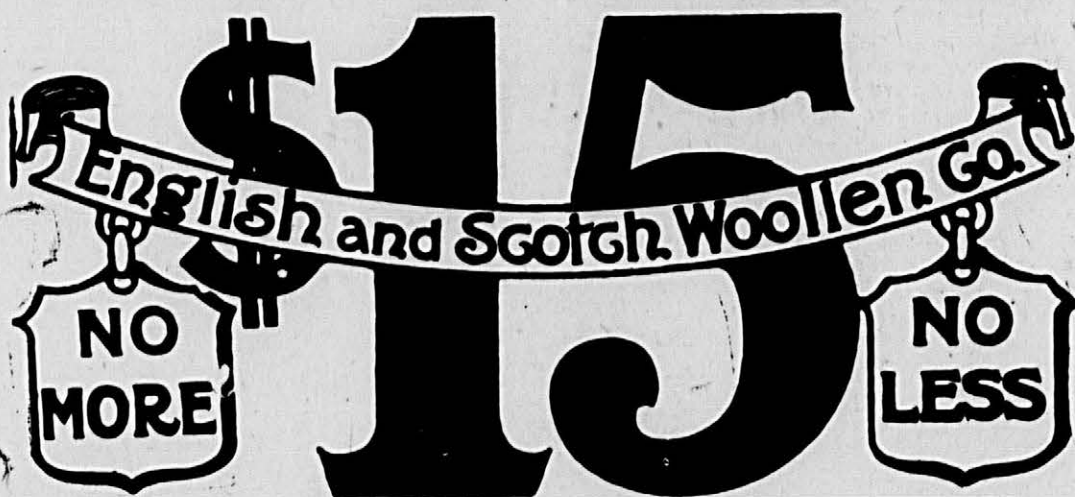
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**COLGATE:** If Colgate can round a team into shape in time, she will enter the Penn. relay carnival, which is scheduled for April 26 and 27, this year. The Hamilton institution is more severely handicapped for material than the larger universities, and so may not be able to enter a squad after all.

**TEXAS:** Texas is not alone in having such a few candidates for her track team. Colgate University is working under similar handicaps. Although there are only two letter men in school there, no more than twenty men have reported for practice.

**PRINCETON:** The Varsity and Freshman boating crews at Princeton had their contests recently. The first crew is being worked into shape for the inter-collegiate races, and notwithstanding the lack of material, Princeton has its usual strong crew.

**ILLINOIS:** Seniors at the University of Illinois are now drawing up a petition to the effect that all Seniors who have made a "B" or higher in a course should not have to take an exam. Their hesitation was removed by the news that the University of Kansas recently granted that privilege.

**DARTMOUTH:** The largest gathering ever held in the history of the Dartmouth alumni association of Boston and vicinity met in Boston Symphony Hall last Friday night, when more than 1,000 attended the annual banquet of that organization. Channing Cox, '01, Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, acted as chairman, and classes as far back as '54 responded to toasts.

**OKLAHOMA:** Baseball practice has started with a zip at Oklahoma. Coach Dennis Owen having more than sixty candidates from which to pick his nine. Few old men are back in harness, the war having taken many of last year's squad, but the new material should fill the gaps well, if early season form is any indication.

About forty men are out for track practice daily at Norman, and Coach Soutar is optimistic because according to the ruling of the Southwestern Conference freshmen will be eligible for intercollegiate contests, and there is a plentiful supply of ex-high school stars at Oklahoma.

**YALE:** A cablegram from General Pershing congratulating Yale upon the splendid work she is doing in preparing men for the service, a \$3,000,000 endowment and a gift of flags marked Alumni Day at New Haven last week. More than 500 alumni returned for the celebration, and Brig.-General William G. McNair, commanding the 151st Field Artillery at Camp Devens, Mass., came to review the Yale regiment and Naval Training Unit.

**NORTHWESTERN:** According to a story in the Daily Northwestern, the defeat at the hands of Illinois has so disheartened the student body as a whole, that the basket tossers are not receiving one-tenth of the support due them as a university team. The article calls upon the students to come out to the games and yell—and the varsity will do the rest.

**KANSAS:** Ninety-seven freshmen have enrolled for track work at Lawrence. Coach Hamilton has only two of last year's varsity men back this season, but due to the unusual opportunities for new men this year, and the consequent large turnout, he hopes that he may make some "finds" among the freshmen.

**OHIO:** Following the movement of the fraternities in asking the faculty to grant them permission to initiate freshmen, the sororities are seeking the same privilege, and will take steps to that end soon. The general feeling is that the advantages of initiation during the freshman year outweigh the disadvantages.

In a recent meeting of the Students' Council of the State University of Ohio, the honor system, and especially that in force at Princeton, was discussed. It was finally decided to write to the different colleges and universities where such a system is in force to obtain an outline of the system.

**WASHINGTON:** Repeated experiments have shown conclusively that nothing can save the gigantic logs of the University of Washington museum which are gradually being destroyed by a peculiar fungus. X-ray treatment has proven ineffectual, there being insufficient penetration to effect the growth in the heart of the fir and hemlock logs.

**CALIFORNIA:** The baseball season is in full swing at California, the Blue and Gold opening against the Mare Island Marines last Saturday. Coach Goodwin, with plenty of early season games with seasoned teams like the Marines, should turn out a winning aggregation.

**WILLIAMS:** The excellent record for patriotic services made by the graduating class of June, 1917, at Williams, is probably not surpassed by any other college in the United States. Ninety-five of the 110 receiving degrees at that time are now either in the Army or the Navy, and are seeing active duty.

**OREGON:** In addition to the usual military drill, the cadets at Oregon University will dig trenches complete with bays, traverses, and dug-outs large enough for fifty men. Bayonet drill, grenade throwing, construction of barricades and entanglements and bridges also will be taught.

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She said: "Isn't it!"

And looked vampy. He looked at her And said, choosing his words with great deliberation, "May I?"

She looked severe. She had her own ideas—But still He was old enough to do as he wished. "Of course!" she said, finally. So he—Pulled out the cigarettes, And enjoyed himself.

SCISSORED SENTIMENT.

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CORNELL: To fill the vacancy left by the enlistment of the former incumbent, a Junior has been made the colonel of the Cornell R. O. T. C. The lieutenant colonel is a Senior, and the majors are all Juniors.

IOWA: One of the features of the founders' day exercises at Iowa City last week was the presentation of a service flag and Iowa's new war flag. The festivities, in celebration of the seventy-first anniversary of the university's founding, attracted many alumni.

NEVADA: Nevada's basketball team is at present on its tour of the coast in quest of the premier western honors. California will probably prove the hardest nut to crack, but the U. of N. Sagebrush is optimistic, inasmuch as the Nevada quintette has rolled up 85 to their opponents' 25 so far this season.

SIMMONDS: The Sophomores at Simmonds College did not disturb the Freshmen at their annual reception until the latter brought on the refreshments. Then the place was stormed and the Sophs feasted, while the Fish fasted.

NEBRASKA: The campus of Nebraska University is at present being decorated with four new buildings. These buildings, Nebraska Hall, Chemistry Hall, Bassey Hall, and a Social Service Building, will be completed by the second semester.

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